

BIG FLEETS IN WAR PAINT FACE TO FACE OFF COREA

Russian and Japanese Squadrons in the Same Harbor Ready to Land Men, and Hostilities Cannot Be Delayed Long.

LONDON, Oct. 9.—According to the latest authentic advices from the East the outbreak of war between Russia and Japan seems to be but a matter of hours.

Despatches from Port Arthur report that the Japanese fleet now in the harbor at Man-San-Pho, in the southeastern part of Corea, is ready to land troops at a moment's notice.

The Russians have massed troops on the Korean boundary and a Russian fleet is also at anchor in the harbor at Man-San-Pho.

Japan's warships outnumber those of Russia at Man-San-Pho, as the bulk of the Russian fleet is still at Port Arthur. At Port Arthur preparations for a hurried departure of all available ships are being made. All the Russian ships have been given their war paint.

The failure of Russia to evacuate Manchuria has caused China to appeal to Japan for assistance, and the Chinese Minister to Germany is now at Berlin buying large supplies of arms and ammunition from Krupp.

The future of Corea depends upon the issue of the negotiations now being carried on at Tokio by the Japanese Cabinet and Baron de Rosen, the Russian Minister.

Baron de Rosen is acting under direct instructions from Admiral Alex. left, Viceroy of Russia's eastern territory.

The official denial of the rumored rejection of Russia's demands by Japan is said to mean nothing. The press in Japan has been officially warned against indulging in sensationalism.

Japan refuses to cede Russia any foothold in Corea as a result of the Russian refusal to evacuate Manchuria.

Man-San-Pho, where the fleets are assembled ready for war, has been a bone of contention between Japan and Russia ever since April, 1900, when a secret agreement was made between Corea and Russia, granting to the latter 400 acres of land fronting upon the harbor. Russia was seeking a southern harbor in which to winter her fleet and Japan opposed her right to establish a naval base and coaling station at Man-San-Pho. Corea afterward repudiated the agreement.

RUSSIA PREPARES TO HOLD POSITION IN MANCHURIA

NEW CHIWANG, Manchuria, Thursday, Oct. 8.—The Russians are taking no steps to restore the government of New Chwang to the Chinese. On the contrary they are hastening the erection of extensive Government buildings and have added another gunboat to the naval force here.

Reports from Northern Manchuria indicate that no movement has been

made toward the evacuation of that territory and Russian officials are discussing the permanent occupation of the points now held as being the settled policy.

The Russian Viceroy, Admiral Alex. left, has been conducting joint naval and military maneuvers on a great scale in the vicinity of Port Arthur this week. Ninety Russian war vessels of all classes were engaged.

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Boys' Football, Regulation Size, with tested bladder. Special at 59c

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